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SUBJECT: INDIAN FOOD AID

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THE INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE INDIAN PRESS ARE
INSISTING TO US THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT HAS
AGREED TO GIVE P.L. 480 GRAIN TO INDIA. THE GOVERNMENT
OF INDIA IS FURTHER PRESSING US TO SIGN THIS AGREEMENT
AND GET IT OUT OF THE WAY BEFORE THE SECRETARY
ARRIVES ON SUNDAY. ONE LEARNS TO DISGUISE IGNORANCE
ON THIS JOB, BUT THIS PARTICULAR EPISODE IS STRAINING
EVEN OUR WELL DEVELOPED CAPACITIES. I AM LEAVING AT
DAWN THURSDAY FOR MOSCOW -- THERE IS ONLY ONE AIRLINE
AND IT IS HIGHLY UNCERTAIN. IF WE ARE TO MAKE A
JOINT ANNOUNCEMENT OF AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE TO FOOD
ASSISTANCE -- ASSUMING WE HAVE DECIDED TO PROVIDE IT
-- I WOULD APPRECIATE INSTRUCTIONS FAST. I HAVE AN
APPOINTMENT WITH THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE
TOMORROW, OCTOBER 23, AND MUST KNOW BY THEN WHAT WE
PLAN TO DO.
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